

Table 55. Pooled Observations on Four Contaminants

CONC	CONC10	WELL	X	Y	Z	TIME	MONTH	YEAR
1	0	GARRETT	300	750	30	0	12	79
2	2	AC2	4850	-1850	02	240	8	80
3	3	JOHNSON	400	900	35	240	8	80
4	11	HALL	625	1500	30	330	11	80
5	17	C3	3275	650	96	690	10	81
6	20	JOHNSON	400	900	35	120	4	80
7	43	AMERUS	2000	0	30	360	12	80
8	270	C5C	1875	450	55	750	12	81
9	470	EPA6	2325	450	55	360	12	80
10	700	EPA6	2325	450	55	750	12	81
11	22000	DEP2	300	-50	25	120	4	80
12	128500	EPA1A	1375	550	41	240	8	80
13	270000	EPA1A	1375	550	41	750	12	81

CHEMICAL 4 BENZENE

CONC	CONC4	WELL	X	Y	Z	TIME	MONTH	YEAR
1	0.13	GARRETT	300	750	30	0	12	79
2	6.90	EPA2	1400	-650	42	390	1	81
3	16.00	JOHNSON	400	900	35	240	8	80
4	22.00	C6	1400	1175	100	750	12	81
5	26.00	JOHNSON	400	900	35	120	4	80
6	28.00	EPA6	2325	450	55	750	12	81
7	48.00	JOHNSON2	400	900	35	330	11	80
8	54.00	EPA5A	1450	1150	23	120	4	80
9	70.00	DEP3	1000	75	15	120	4	80
10	1800.00	EPA1A	1375	550	41	750	12	81
11	7900.00	EPA1A	1375	550	41	240	8	80

CHEMICAL 7 (MONO)CHLOROBENZENE

CONC	CONC7	WELL	X	Y	Z	TIME	MONTH	YEAR
1	0.2	EPA2	1400	-650	42	390	1	81
2	27.0	EPA1A	1375	550	41	240	3	80
3	27.0	EPA1A	1375	550	41	750	12	81
4	450.0	DEP2	300	-50	25	120	4	80

CHEMICAL 8 (1,2,4)-TETRACHLOROBENZENE

CONC	CONC8	WELL	X	Y	Z	TIME	MONTH	YEAR
1	17	DEP2	300	-50	25	120	4	80

Table 56. Summary of Guidelines and Standards for Health-Based Water Quality Levels

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH ^{a)} Registry No.	Standard µg/l ^{b)}	Notes
Acenaphthene	1R		20	(1)
Acrolein	2V		320	
Acrylonitrile	3V		0.58	(2)
Aldrin	89P		0.74n ^{c)}	(2)
Antimony	114M		146	
Arsenic	115M		0.022	(2)
Asbestos	116M		3 x 10 ⁵ fibers/l	(2)
Benzene	4V	CY1400000	6.6/2.3	(2),(11)
Benzidine	5R		0.0012	(2)
Beryllium	117M		0.37n	(2)
Cadmium	118M		10	(3)
Carbon Tetrachloride	6V	FG4900000	4/5.5	(2),(11)
Chlordane	91P		0.0046	(2)
Chlorinated Benzenes				
Hexachlorobenzene	9B		0.0072	(2)
1,2,3,5-tetra chlorobenzene			38	
pentachlorobenzene			74	
(1,2,4)-trichlorobenzene	8B		n.c. ^{d)}	
(mono)chlorobenzene	7V		488/20	(4)
Chlorinated Ethanes				
1,2-di-chloroethane	10V	KI0525000	9.4/9.1	(2),(11)

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
1,1,1-trichloroethane	11V	KJ2975000	18.4	
1,1,2-trichloroethane	14V	KJ3150000	6/6	(2),(11)
1,1,2,2-tetrachloroethane	15V		1.7	(2)
hexachloroethane	12B		19	(2)
mono(chloroethane)	16V		n.c.	
1,1-dichloroethane	13V	KI0175000	0.066	(2),(11)
1,1,1,2-tetrachloroethane			n.c.	
pentachloroethane			n.c.	
Chlorinated Naphthalenes				
2-chloronaphthalene	20B		n.c.	
Chlorinated Phenols				
monochlorophenol			0.1	(1)
4-monochlorophenol			0.1	(1)
2,3-dichlorophenol			0.04	(1)
2,5-dichlorophenol			0.5	(1)
2,6-dichlorophenol			0.2	(1)
3,4-dichlorophenol			0.3	(1)
2,3,4,6-tetrachlorophenol			1	(1)
2,4,5-trichlorophenol			2600	(4)
2,4,6-trichlorophenol	21A		12/2	(2),(4)
2-methyl-4-chlorophenol			1800	
3-methyl-4-chlorophenol			3000	

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
3-methyl-6-chlorophenol			20	
p-chloro-m-cresol (parachlorometa cresol)	22A	G07100000		
Chlorophenoxys (herbicides)				
2,4-D		AG6825000	100	(9)
2,4,5-TP Silvex		UF8225000	10	(9)
Chloroalkyl Ethers				
bis(chloromethyl) ether	17V	KN1575000	0.38n	(2)
bis(2-chloroethyl) ether	18B	KN0875000	0.3	(2)
bis(2-chloroisopropyl) ether		KN1750000	34.7	
2-chloroethylvinyl ether	19V	KN6300000		
Chloroform (trichloromethane)	23V	FS9100000	1.9/2.4	(2),(10),(11)
2-chlorophenol	24A		0.1	(1)
Chromium	119M		50	(3)
Copper	120M		1000	(1)
Cyanide	121M		200	(3)
DDT and Metabolites				
4,4'-DDT	92P		} 0.24n	(2)
4,4'-DDE	93P			
4,4'-DDD	94P			
Dichlorobenzenes				
1,2-dichlorobenzene	25B		} 400	
1,3-dichlorobenzene	26B			
1,4-dichlorobenene	27B			

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard $\mu\text{g/l}$	Notes
3,3'-dichlorobenzidine	28B		0.103	(2)
Dieldrin	90P		0.71n	(2)
Dichloroethylenes				
1,1-dichloroethylene"	29V	KV9275000	0.33	(2)
1,2-(trans)-dichloroethylene	30V	KV9360000	n.c.	
2,4-Dichlorophenol	31A		3090/0.3	(4)
(1,2)-Dichloropropane	32V		n.c.	
(1,3)-Dichloropropene (1,3-dichloropropylene)	33V		87	
2,4-Dimethylphenol	34A		400	(1)
2,4-Dinitrotoluene	35B		1.1	(2)
2,6-Dinitrotoluene	36B			
1,2-Diphenylhydrazine	37B		0.422	(2)
α -Endosulfan	95P		} 74	
β -Endosulfan	96P			
Endosulfan sulfate	97P			
Endrin	98P		1	(3)
Endrin aldehyde	99P			
Ethylbenzene	38V		1400	
Fluoranthene	39B		42	
Haloethers				
4-chlorophenyl phenyl ether	40B		n.c.	
4-bromophenyl phenyl ether	41B		n.c.	

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code. No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
bis(2-chloroisopropyl) ether	42B		34.7	
bis(2-chloroethoxy) methane	43B		n.c.	
Halomethanes				
methylene chloride (dichloromethane)	44V	PA8050000	1.9	(10)
methyl chloride (chloromethane)	45V	PA6300000		
methyl bromide (bromomethane)	46V	PA4900000		
bromoform (tribromomethane)	47V	PB5600000		
dichlorobromomethane	48V	PA5310000		
trichlorofluoromethane	49V	PA9180000		
dischlorodifluoromethane	50V	PA8200000		
chlorodibromomethane	51V	PA6360000		(10)
Heptachlor	100P		2.78n	(2)
Heptachlor epoxide	101P			
Hexachlorobutadiene	52B		4.47	(2)
Hexachlorocyclohexane (BHC)				
α-HCH	102P	GV3500000	92n/2.8	(2), (11)
β-HCH	103P	GV4550000	0.163	(2)
γ-HCH (lindane)	104P	GV4900000	0.186/4/0.71	(2), (5), (12)
δ-HCH	105P		n.c.	
ε-HCH			n.c.	
tech-HCH (mixed isomers)			0.123	(2)
Hexachlorocyclopentadiene	53B		206/1	(4)
Isophorone	54B		5200	

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
Lead	122M		50	(3)
Mercury	123M		0.144/2	(5)
Methoxychlor		KJ3675000	100	(9)
Naphthalene	55B		n.c.	
Nickel	124M		13.4	
Nitrobenzene	56B		19800/30	(4)
Nitrophenols				
Mononitrophenol (2-nitrophenol)	57A	SM2100000	n.c.	
4-Nitrophenol (p-nitrophenol)	58A	SM2275000		
Dinitrophenol		SL2625000	70	
2,4-Dinitrophenol	59A	SL2800000		
4,6-Dinitro-o-cresol				
(1,3,5 or 2,4,6)-Trinitrophenol		TJ7875000	n.c.	
4,6(2,4)-Dinitro-o-cresol	60A	G09625000	13.4	
Nitrosamines				
N-nitrosodimethylamine	61B	IQ0525000	0.014	(2)
N-nitrosodiphenylamine	62B	JJ9800000	49	(2)
N-nitrosodi-n-propylamine	63B	JL9700000		
N-nitrosodiethylamine		IA3500000	8n	(2)
N-nitrosodi-n-butylamine		EJ4025000	0.064	(2)
N-nitrosopyrrolidine		UY1575000	0.160	(2)
Pentachlorophenol	64A		1010/30	(4)
Phenol	65A		3500/300	(4)

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
Phthalate Esters				
bis(2-ethyl) phthalate	66B	TI0350000	15000	
butyl benzyl phthalate	67B	TH9990000		
di-n-butyl phthalate	68B	TI0875000	3400	
di-n-octyl phthalate	69B	TI9250000		
diethyl phthalate	70B	TI1050000	350000	
dimethyl phthalate	71B	TI1575000	313000	
Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCBs)				
PCB-1242	106B	}	0.79n	(2)
PCB-1245	107P			
PCB-1221	108P			
PCB-1231	109P			
PCB-1248	110P			
PCB-1260	111P			
PCB-1016	112P			
Polynuclear Aromatic Hydrocarbons (PAHs)				
benzo(a)anthracene	72B	}	0.028	(2)
benzo(a)pyrene	73B			
3,4-benzofluoranthene	74B			
benzo(k)fluoranthene	75B			
chrysene	76B			
acenaphthylene	77B			
anthracene	78B			

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Table 56. (continued)

Compound or Chemical Class	EPA Code No.	NIOSH Registry No.	Standard µg/l	Notes
benzo(ghi)perylene	79B		0.0 ²⁸	
fluorene	80B			
phenanthrene	81B			
dibenzo(a,h)pyrene	82B			(2)
indeno(1,2,3-cd)pyrene	83B			
pyrene	84B			
Selenium	125M		10	(3)
Silver	126M		50	(3)
Tetrachloroethylene (PCE)	85V	KX3850000	8/11	(2),(11)
Thallium	127M		13	
Toluene	86V		14300	
Toxaphene	113P		7.1n/5	(2),(5)
Trichloroethylene (TCE)	87V	KX4550000	27/33	(2),(11)
Vinyl Chloride	88V	KU9625000	20/2.4	(2),(11)
Zinc	128M		5000	(1)
Dioxin(2,3,7,8-tetrachlorodibenzo-p-dioxin)	129B			
Barium	131 ^{e)}		1000	(6)
Boron	132		750	(7)
Iron				

^{a)} National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health. 1979 Registry of Toxic Effects of Chemical Substances, (Cincinnati, Ohio, 1980).

Table 56. (continued)

- b) All units in g/l (p.p.b.) unless indicated otherwise.
- c) Nanograms/liter (parts per trillion).
- d) No satisfactory criterion could be derived by EPA on the basis of available data.
- e) 131-143 are arbitrary code numbers, not EPA's.

Notes:

All standards apply to ambient water quality and, except as noted below, relate to the protection of human health from the toxic properties of the substance when ingested through water, except as noted.

For carcinogens, extrapolation of cancer responses from high to low doses and subsequent risk estimation from animal data was performed, using the linearized multi-stage model.

For noncarcinogens, the health criteria was based on concentrations which are not expected to produce adverse effects in humans.

All quality levels marked with notes (1) through (4) are guidelines under Section 304(a)(1) of the Clean Water Act (Source: EPA; Water Quality Criteria Document: Availability. Federal Register 45:231, 11/28/80).

A blank in the EPA code column implies that the specific compound is not on EPA's original list of 129 Priority Pollutants (House Committee on Public Works and Transportation. Hearings on the Implementation of the Federal Water Pollution Control Act, 95th Congress, 1st Session, July 1977, pp. 402-405). However, a water quality standard was assigned to that compound in the November 28, 1980 Federal Register's Notice.

A blank in the standard column indicates that the compound is not mentioned in the Notice, but is listed among the 129 Priority Pollutants (and tested for in laboratory analyses of polluted water).

- (1) Standard based on organoleptic data. Indicated level is for controlling undesirable taste and odor quality of ambient water. These data have no demonstrated relationship to potential adverse human health effects.
- (2) Maximum protection of human health (nonthreshold assumption) from potential carcinogenic effects requires zero concentration. The indicated level is based on the assumption that a zero level is presently unattainable. The indicated concentration to the lower 95% confidence limit producing an incremental increase of lifetime cancer risk of 10^{-5} (1 additional case in a population of 100,000). In the original document, simple linear extrapolation to 10^{-6} and 10^{-7} risk levels are given (divide the indicated concentration by 10 and 100, respectively).
- (3) The calculated value is comparable to the present standard (the "Red Book").
- (4) The second value is based on organoleptic data.
- (5) The second value is a Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) set forth in the National Interim Primary Drinking Water Regulations (Federal Register, August 27, 1980).
- (6) A MCL standard (see note 5).

Table 56. (continued)

- (7) This standard is set forth in EPA, Quality Criteria for Water, July 1976 ("Red Book"). It concerns long-term irrigation on sensitive crops, and is not a public health standard.
- (8) A "Red Book" standard (see note 7) for domestic water supplies, based on "welfare" considerations which is a broader and probably less stringent category than health.
- (9) A MCL has been determined for this compound (see note 5), although it is not listed among the 129 Priority Pollutants.
- (10) A MCL of 0.10mg/l has been set (see note 5) for total trihalomethanes (TTHMs). It applies only to community water systems which serve a population of 10,000 or more individuals and which add a disinfectant (oxidant) to the water in the treatment process. THMs group includes dichlorobromomethane (48V), bromoform (47V), chlorodibromomethane (51V), and chloroform (23V).
- (11) The second value is from Crump, K. S. and H. A. Guess, Drinking Water and Cancer: Review of Recent Findings and Assessment of Risks. Science Research System, Inc., Ruston, La., 1980. It does not take into consideration exposure due to the intake of aquatic species.

APPENDIX D

CHEMICAL CONTROL CASE STUDY DATA APPENDIX

INTRODUCTION

This appendix assembles the data required for modeling the Chemical Control incident. Data on releases from the fire, meteorology of the area, and the population-at-risk are described in the following sections.

RELEASES

Chapter 7 discusses the inherent limitations associated with modeling releases based on the combustion process. An alternative was postulated, and the associated assumptions were outlined.

METEOROLOGY

Meteorological data was obtained from the National Climatic Center (Asheville, North Carolina, U.S. Department of Commerce, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration). The National Climatic Center collects meteorological data from the Newark, New Jersey, airport located about five kilometers northeast of Elizabeth. Because Newark is very close to the Chemical Control site in Elizabeth, we assume that meteorological conditions at the two places are similar. Measurements of wind speed and direction, sky cover, ceiling, weather, and temperature are taken on an hourly basis, and the National Climatic Center then compiles data on a three-hourly basis.

The data on wind direction and wind speed are directly applicable to our model. The sky cover and ceiling variables are necessary to construct stability variables. In the model, we used the 1980 data taken from observations rather than available ten-year averaged data, because the former retained information on sequences. In addition to the tabular data, we have obtained a National Climatic Center tape with data from various years, including computed stability factors.

The Turner stability class algorithm (tables 57, 58, and 59) is a procedure for constructing stability class variables based on time of day, cloud cover, ceiling, wind speed, and solar altitude. Solar altitude as a function of latitude and declination can be determined from the formulas summarized in table 60. Declination of the sun as a function of date is given in table 61. Duration of daylight is given in table 62 (Smithsonian Meteorological Tables, 1951).

Table 57. D. Bruce Turner Algorithm for Computing Stability Classes

I. Compute Net Radiation Index:

1. If the total cloud cover is 10/10 and the ceiling is less than 7,000 feet, use net radiation index equal to 0 (whether day or night).
2. For nighttime (night is defined as the period from one hour before sunset to one hour after sunrise):
 - a. If total cloud cover $\leq 4/10$, use net radiation index equal to -2.
 - b. If total cloud cover $> 4/10$, use net radiation index equal to -1.
3. For daytime:
 - a. Determine the insolation class number as a function of solar altitude from table 58.
 - b. If total cloud cover $\leq 5/10$, use the net radiation index in table 59 corresponding to the insolation class number.
 - c. If cloud cover $> 5/10$, modify the insolation class number by following these six steps:
 - (1) Ceiling $> 7,000$ feet, subtract 2.
 - (2) Ceiling $\geq 7,000$ feet, but $< 16,000$ feet, subtract 1.
 - (3) Total cloud cover equal 10/10, subtract 1. (This will only apply to ceilings $\geq 7,000$ feet since cases with 10/10 coverage below 7,000 feet. are considered in item 1 above.
 - (4) If insolation class number has not been modified by steps (1), (2), or (3) above, assume modified class number equal to insolation class number.
 - (5) If modified insolation class number is less than 1, let it equal 1.
 - (6) Use the net radiation index in table 59 to the modified insolation class number.

Table 58. Insolation as a Function of Solar Altitude

Solar Altitude (a)	Insolation	Insolation Class Number
$60^\circ < a$	Strong	4
$35^\circ < a \leq 60^\circ$	Moderate	3
$15^\circ < a \leq 35^\circ$	Slight	2
$a \leq 15^\circ$	Weak	1

Table 59. Stability Class as a Function of Net Radiation and Wind Speed

Wind Speed (Knots)	Net Radiation Table						
	4	3	2	1	0	-1	-2
0,1	A	A	B	C	D	F	F
2,3	A	B	B	C	D	F	F
4,5	A	B	C	D	D	E	F
6	B	B	C	D	D	E	F
7	B	B	C	D	D	D	E
8,9	B	C	C	D	D	D	E
10	C	C	D	D	D	D	E
11	C	C	D	D	D	D	D
12	C	D	D	D	D	D	D

Key: A: extremely unstable D: neutral
 B: moderately unstable E: slightly stable
 C: slightly unstable F: moderately stable

Source: D. B. Turner, "A Diffusion Model for an Urban Area,"
Journal of Applied Meteorology, vol 3, p. 91.

Table 60. Solar Altitude and Azimuth

$$\sin a = \sin \phi \sin \delta + \cos \phi \cos \delta \cos h$$

$$\sin \alpha = \cos \delta \sin h / \cos a$$

a = altitude of the sun (angular elevation above the horizon)

ϕ = latitude of the observer

δ = declination of the sun

h = hour angle of sun (angular distance from the meridian of the observer)

α = azimuth of the sun (measured eastward from north)

Table 61.

TABLE 169
EPHEMERIS OF THE SUN¹

All data are for 0^h Greenwich Civil Time in the year 1950. Variations of these data from year to year are negligible for most meteorological purposes, the largest variation occurs through the 4-year leap-year cycle. The year 1950 was selected to represent a mean condition this cycle.

The *declination* of the sun is its angular distance north (+) or south (−) of the celestial equator.

The *longitude* of the sun is the angular distance of the meridian of sun from the vernal equinox (mean equinox of 1950.0) measured eastward along the ecliptic.

The *equation of time* (apparent − mean) is the correction to be applied to mean solar time in order to obtain apparent (true) solar time.

The *radius vector* of the earth is the distance from the center of the earth to the center of the sun expressed in terms of the length of the semimajor axis of the earth's orbit.

¹U. S. Naval Observatory, The American ephemeris and nautical almanac for the year 1950, Washington, D. C.

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Date	Declination	Longitude	Equation of time	Radius vector	Date	Declination	Longitude	Equation of time	Radius vector
"	"	"	m. s.	m.	"	"	"	m. s.	m.
Jan. 1	−23 4 280	1	−3 14	0.98324	Feb. 1	−17 19 311	34	−13 34	0.98533
5	22 42 284	5	5 6	0.98324	5	16 10 315	37	14 2	0.98593
9	22 13 288	10	6 50	0.98333	9	14 55 319	40	14 17	0.98662
13	21 37 292	14	8 27	0.98352	13	13 37 323	43	14 20	0.98738
17	20 54 296	19	9 54	0.98478	17	12 15 327	46	14 10	0.98819
21	20 5 300	23	11 10	0.98410	21	10 50 331	48	13 50	0.98903
25	19 9 304	27	12 14	0.98448	25	9 23 335	49	13 19	0.98991
29	18 8 308	31	13 5	0.98493					
Mar. 1	−7 53 310	31	−12 38	0.99084	Apr. 1	+4 14 10	42	−4 12	0.99928
5	6 21 314	31	11 48	0.99182	5	5 46 14	39	3 1	1.00041
9	4 48 317	31	10 51	0.99287	9	7 17 18	35	1 52	1.00160
13	3 14 321	31	9 49	0.99396	13	8 46 22	30	−0 47	1.00276
17	1 39 325	30	8 42	0.99508	17	10 12 26	25	+0 13	1.00390
21	−0 5 329	29	7 32	0.99619	21	11 35 30	20	1 6	1.00506
25	+1 20 3 47	27	6 20	0.99731	25	12 56 34	14	1 53	1.00606
29	3 4 7 44	25	5 7	0.99843	29	14 13 38	7	2 33	1.00708

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EPHEMERIS OF THE SUN

Date	Declination	Longitude	Equation of time	Radius vector	Date	Declination	Longitude	Equation of time	Radius vector
"	"	"	m. s.	m.	"	"	"	m. s.	m.
May 1	+14 50 40	4	+2 50	1.00759	June 1	+21 57 69	56	+2 27	1.01476
5	16 2 43	56	3 17	1.00859	5	22 28 73	46	1 49	1.01463
9	17 9 47	48	3 35	1.00957	9	22 52 77	36	1 6	1.01518
13	18 11 51	40	3 44	1.01051	13	23 10 81	25	+0 18	1.01564
17	19 9 55	32	3 44	1.01138	17	23 22 85	15	−0 33	1.01602
21	20 2 59	23	3 34	1.01218	21	23 27 89	4	1 25	1.01635
25	20 49 63	14	3 16	1.01291	25	23 25 92	53	2 17	1.01667
29	21 30 67	4	2 51	1.01358	29	23 17 96	41	3 7	1.01692
July 1	+23 10 98	36	−3 31	1.01667	Aug. 1	+18 14 128	11	−6 17	1.01424
5	22 52 102	24	4 16	1.01671	5	17 12 132	0	5 59	1.01442
9	22 28 106	13	4 56	1.01669	9	16 6 135	50	5 33	1.01382
13	21 57 110	2	5 30	1.01659	13	14 55 139	41	4 57	1.01311
17	21 21 113	51	5 57	1.01639	17	13 41 143	31	4 12	1.01244
21	20 38 117	40	6 15	1.01610	21	12 23 147	22	3 19	1.01152
25	19 50 121	29	6 24	1.01573	25	11 2 151	14	2 18	1.01055
29	18 57 125	19	6 23	1.01530	29	9 39 155	5	1 10	1.00955
Sept. 1	+8 35 157	59	−0 15	1.00917	Oct. 1	−2 53 187	14	+10 1	1.00114
5	7 7 161	52	+1 2	1.00822	5	4 26 191	11	11 17	1.00000
9	5 37 165	45	2 22	1.00723	9	5 58 195	7	12 27	0.99888
13	4 6 169	38	3 45	1.00619	13	7 29 199	5	13 30	0.99774
17	2 34 173	32	5 10	1.00510	17	8 58 203	3	14 25	0.99659
21	+1 1 177	26	6 35	1.00397	21	10 25 207	1	15 10	0.99544
25	−0 32 181	21	8 0	1.00283	25	11 50 211	0	15 46	0.99432
29	2 6 185	16	9 22	1.00170	29	13 12 214	59	16 10	0.99322
Nov. 1	−14 11 217	59	+16 21	0.99249	Dec. 1	−21 41 248	13	+11 16	0.98528
5	15 27 222	0	16 23	0.99150	5	22 16 252	16	9 43	0.98414
9	16 38 226	1	16 12	0.99054	9	22 45 256	20	8 1	0.98304
13	17 45 230	2	15 47	0.98960	13	23 6 260	24	6 12	0.98194
17	18 43 234	4	15 10	0.98869	17	23 20 264	28	4 17	0.98084
21	19 45 238	6	14 18	0.98784	21	23 26 268	32	2 19	0.97974
25	20 36 242	8	13 15	0.98706	25	23 25 272	37	+0 20	0.97864
29	21 21 246	11	11 59	0.98636	29	23 17 276	41	−1 39	0.97754

TABLES 171-174

DURATION OF DAYLIGHT, CIVIL TWILIGHT, AND ASTRONOMICAL TWILIGHT

Daylight is defined as the interval between sunrise and sunset. The latter are considered to occur when the upper edge of the disk of the sun appears to be exactly on the horizon with an unobstructed horizon and normal atmospheric refraction. It is assumed that the upper edge of the sun appears on the horizon when the true center of the sun's disk is 50' below the horizon, this corresponds to assuming a semidiameter of 16' and a constant refraction of 34'.

Civil twilight is defined as the interval between sunrise or sunset and the time when the true position of the center of the sun is 6° below the horizon, at which time stars and planets of the first magnitude are just visible and darkness forces the suspension of normal outdoor activities.

Astronomical twilight is defined as the interval between sunrise or sunset and the time when the true position of the center of the sun is 18° below the horizon, at which time stars of the sixth magnitude are visible near the zenith and generally there is no trace on the horizon of the twilight glow.

Tables 171-174 (including graphs) have been extracted from a publication of the Nautical Almanac Office.¹ The data were computed for longitude 90° W. for the year 1966; however, there will be no appreciable error in using these tables for other localities or for other years during the remainder of the twentieth century in determining the *duration* of daylight or twilight.

For latitudes greater than 65° the data are given in graphical form. At these higher latitudes the data become increasingly uncertain, small changes in atmospheric refraction can cause relatively large changes in the actual phenomena, as can small errors in latitude, and the graphs give a clearer picture of the phenomena. Where the graphs are difficult to read accurately the phenomenon itself is uncertain. These large uncertainties are inevitable consequences of the physical circumstances and are not due to the inadequacy of the graphs.

Tables 171-173 may be used for Southern Latitudes by entering the tables not with the actual date but with a date about 6 months earlier or later as given in Table 174.

For a historical summary of the various definitions of twilight and a description of associated phenomena see Kimball.²

¹ Tables of sunrise, sunset and twilight, Supplement to the American ephemeris, 1946, U. S. Naval Observatory, Washington, 1945.

² Kimball, Herbert H., Month. Weath. Rev., vol. 44, pp. 614-620, 1916.

Table 62. (continued)

TABLE 171 (CONTINUED)													
DURATION OF DAYLIGHT													
Day of month	Jan.	Feb.	Mar.	Apr.	May	June	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.	h. m.
Latitude 30° N.													
1	10 15	10 46	11 33	12 29	13 20	13 57	14 03	13 34	12 46	11 53	10 59	10 22	
5	10 17	10 53	11 40	12 36	13 26	13 59	14 01	13 29	12 39	11 46	10 53	10 19	
9	10 21	10 59	11 47	12 43	13 31	14 02	13 58	13 23	12 32	11 38	10 48	10 16	
13	10 24	11 05	11 54	12 50	13 37	14 04	13 55	13 17	12 25	11 32	10 42	10 14	
17	10 27	11 12	12 02	12 57	13 42	14 04	13 52	13 11	12 18	11 25	10 36	10 14	
21	10 33	11 18	12 09	13 04	13 47	14 05	13 48	13 04	12 10	11 17	10 32	10 12	
25	10 37	11 25	12 16	13 10	13 50	14 05	13 43	12 58	12 03	11 11	10 28	10 13	
29	10 43	11 33	12 24	13 17	13 55	14 03	13 39	12 51	11 56	11 05	10 24	10 14	
Latitude 35° N.													
1	09 51	10 30	11 26	12 34	13 35	14 21	14 29	13 54	12 55	11 50	10 45	10 09	
5	09 53	10 37	11 34	12 42	13 43	14 25	14 27	13 47	12 47	11 41	10 37	09 55	
9	09 57	10 45	11 44	12 52	13 50	14 27	14 24	13 40	12 38	11 32	10 31	09 52	
13	10 02	10 53	11 52	13 00	13 57	14 30	14 19	13 33	12 29	11 24	10 24	09 50	
17	10 06	11 01	12 01	13 08	14 03	14 30	14 16	13 25	12 21	11 16	10 18	09 48	
21	10 11	11 08	12 09	13 16	14 09	14 31	14 10	13 13	12 12	11 07	10 11	09 48	
25	10 17	11 17	12 19	13 24	14 14	14 31	14 05	13 09	12 03	11 00	10 06	09 48	
29	10 25	11 26	12 27	13 32	14 19	14 29	13 59	13 01	11 54	10 51	10 01	09 50	
Latitude 40° N.													
1	09 23	10 10	11 18	12 39	13 54	14 49	14 58	14 16	13 05	11 47	10 29	09 33	
5	09 27	10 19	11 28	12 50	14 02	14 53	14 55	14 08	12 55	11 36	10 20	09 29	
9	09 31	10 28	11 38	13 00	14 11	14 57	14 52	14 00	12 44	11 26	10 11	09 25	
13	09 36	10 37	11 50	13 10	14 19	15 00	14 47	13 57	12 34	11 16	10 03	09 22	
17	09 42	10 47	12 00	13 20	14 27	15 00	14 42	13 41	12 24	11 06	09 55	09 20	
21	09 49	10 58	12 11	13 30	14 34	15 01	14 36	13 32	12 13	10 55	09 48	09 20	
25	09 56	11 07	12 21	13 40	14 40	15 01	14 29	13 22	12 03	10 46	09 42	09 20	
29	10 03	11 18	12 32	13 49	14 45	14 59	14 22	13 13	11 52	10 37	09 36	09 22	
Latitude 42° N.													
1	09 11	10 02	11 14	12 42	14 02	15 02	15 11	14 25	13 09	11 45	10 22	09 22	
5	09 15	10 11	11 26	12 53	14 12	15 07	15 09	14 17	12 58	11 34	10 13	09 17	
9	09 19	10 21	11 36	13 04	14 21	15 10	15 04	14 08	12 48	11 24	10 03	09 13	
13	09 24	10 31	11 48	13 16	14 29	15 12	14 59	13 59	12 36	11 12	09 54	09 10	
17	09 31	10 41	12 00	13 26	14 37	15 14	14 54	13 49	12 25	11 02	09 46	09 08	
21	09 39	10 52	12 11	13 37	14 45	15 15	14 48	13 38	12 15	10 51	09 38	09 07	
25	09 46	11 03	12 23	13 47	14 52	15 15	14 40	13 28	12 03	10 40	09 30	09 08	
29	09 55	11 14	12 34	13 57	14 57	15 13	14 32	13 17	11 52	10 29	09 24	09 09	
Latitude 44° N.													
1	08 58	09 52	11 10	12 45	14 11	15 16	15 26	14 36	13 14	11 45	10 15	09 09	
5	09 01	10 03	11 22	12 57	14 21	15 21	15 23	14 27	13 02	11 32	10 04	09 03	
9	09 06	10 13	11 34	13 08	14 31	15 24	15 18	14 17	12 50	11 20	09 54	08 59	
13	09 12	10 24	11 46	13 20	14 40	15 28	15 13	14 07	12 39	11 08	09 44	08 56	
17	09 19	10 35	11 59	13 32	14 49	15 29	15 07	13 56	12 26	10 57	09 35	08 54	
21	09 27	10 47	12 11	13 44	14 47	15 29	15 00	13 45	12 14	10 45	09 27	08 53	
25	09 35	10 59	12 23	13 55	15 04	15 29	14 52	13 34	12 03	10 34	09 19	08 54	
29	09 45	11 10	12 36	14 06	15 11	15 27	14 44	13 23	11 50	10 23	09 12	08 56	
Latitude 46° N.													
1	08 43	09 42	11 06	12 47	14 21	15 30	15 41	14 48	13 19	11 43	10 07	08 56	
5	08 47	09 53	11 20	13 00	14 31	15 35	15 38	14 37	13 06	11 30	09 55	08 49	
9	08 53	10 05	11 32	13 14	14 42	15 40	15 34	14 27	12 54	11 18	09 44	08 45	
13	09 00	10 17	11 46	13 26	14 52	15 42	15 27	14 15	12 41	11 04	09 34	08 42	
17	09 07	10 29	11 58	13 38	15 01	15 44	15 21	14 05	12 23	10 52	09 24	08 40	
21	09 15	10 42	12 12	13 51	15 10	15 45	15 13	13 53	12 15	10 39	09 15	08 38	
25	09 25	10 53	12 25	14 03	15 18	15 45	15 04	13 41	12 02	10 27	09 06	08 39	
29	09 35	11 06	12 38	14 14	15 25	15 43	14 56	13 29	11 50	10 15	08 59	08 40	

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The parameters σ_y and σ_z required for the Gaussian transport equation can then be approximated, for each stability class, by the phenomenological relationship depicted in figures 22 and 23. Equations (D.1) and (D.2) show the functions used to approximate these standard deviations:

$$\sigma_y = a(S)x^{b(S)} \quad (D.1)$$

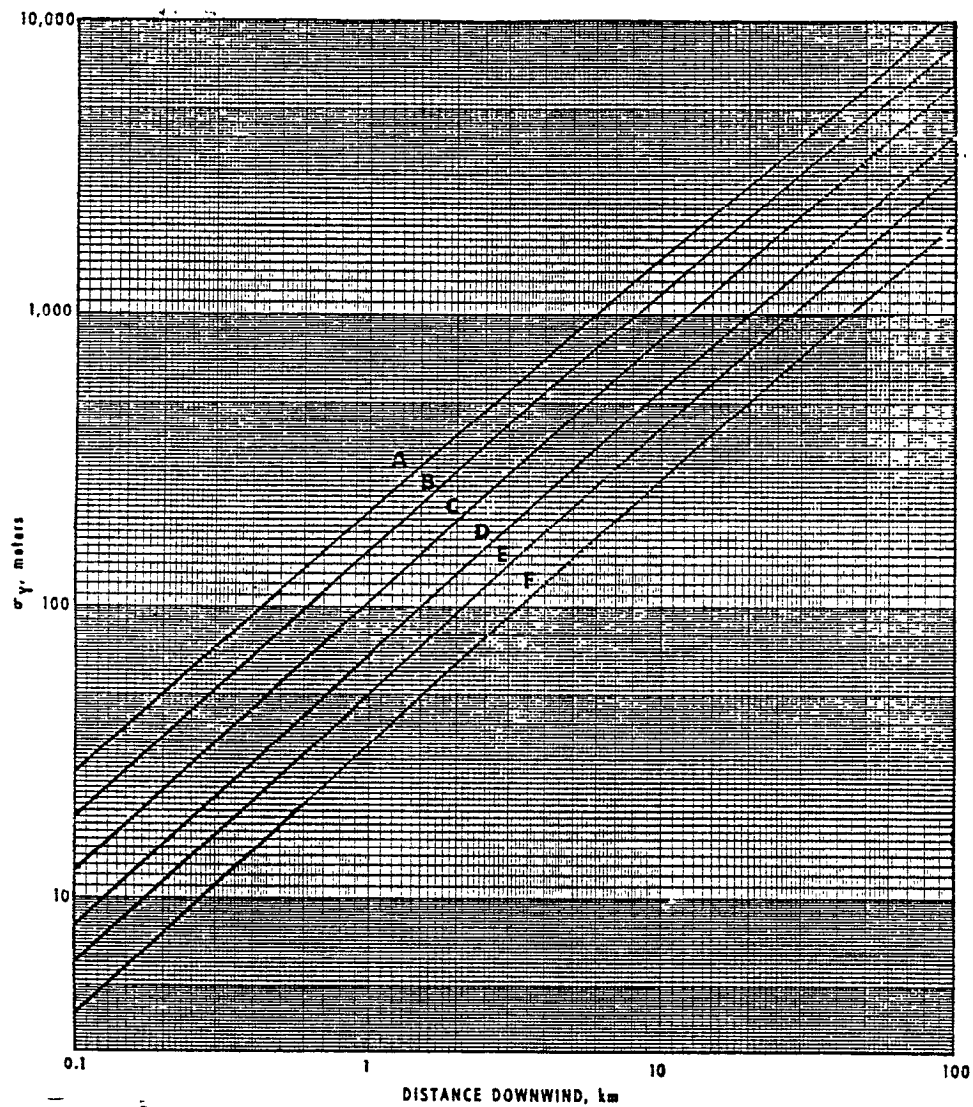
$$\sigma_z = c(S)x^{d(S)} \quad (D.2)$$

where $a(S)$, $b(S)$, $c(S)$, $d(S)$ are functions of stability class S , derived in the U.S. EPA Climatological Dispersion Model (Busse and Zimmerman in User's Guide to the Texas Episodes Model). Parameter values appear in tables 64 and 65. The σ_y and σ_z curves were determined for an open, level to gently rolling terrain, and must therefore be adjusted for urban areas. The adjustment was made according to the method used in the Texas Episodes Model; dispersion coefficients were estimated by decreasing the stability class index by one except for class A (Texas Air Control Board, 1979).

POPULATION AT RISK

Populations of cities and counties in the area at risk is available from the 1980 Census of Population (U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census, Numbers of Inhabitants). From the population data and the maps of cities and counties, we can develop a population density grid of the area surrounding Elizabeth. Table 25 and figure 19 define the density grid by township for an area of 442 km^2 (21 km x 21 km).

Figure 22. Variation of σ_y as a Function of Downwind Existence from a Source



Source: D. B. Turner. 1964. "A Diffusion Model for an Urban Area," Journal of Applied Meteorology vol. 3, p. 91.